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CIRCUIT FOR PROTECTING AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT FROM  
ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a Response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2004 in connection with the above-identified application.

In the event the patent office charges a fee for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 50-0612. An additional copy of this page is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2004, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.